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IN RE APPLICATION OF:

Kazuya HIRATSUKA, et al

: GROUP ART UNIT: 2812

SERIAL NO.: 09/517,579

: EXAMINER: H. Nguyen

FILED: March 2, 2000

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FOR: METHOD FOR PRODUCING AN ELECTRIC DOUBLE LAYER CAPACITOR

AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

SIR:

Responsive to the Official Action dated November 27, 2002, the period for response having been extended to May 27, 2002, by a Request for Extension of Time filed herewith, please reconsider the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

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IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel Claims 10, 18, 27 without prejudice to their further presentation in a Continuation application.

Please amend the following claims as indicated:

--5. (Twice Amended) A method for producing an electric double layer capacitor, which comprises impregnating an element comprising positive and negative electrodes facing each other with a separator interposed between them, with an organic electrolyte capable of forming an electric double layer on the surface of the electrodes to store electric charge, and then applying a voltage to the element, wherein said positive and negative electrodes are

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- No additional fee is required
- Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.
- Additional documents filed herewith: Request for Extension of Time (THREE-MONTHS)

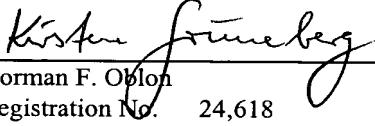
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